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of the Interior Department, Hon. Robert Me-of the State of Michigan. Its elerical force f one chief clerk, (George C. Whiting, esq.,) sing agent, and ten other regular clerks; and to sion and management are committed the following

ranches of the public service:

1st. The Pablic Lands.—The chief of this bureau is called the Commissioner of the General Land Office." The Land Bureau charged with the survey, management, and sale of the pube domain, and the issuing of fitles therefor, whether derived om confirmations of grants for schools, military bounties, public improvements, and likewise the revision of Virginia diltary bounty and claims, and the issuing of serip in lieu thereof. The Land Office, also, and its tis own accounts. The resent Commissioner is Hon. T. H. Hendricks, of Instant. Its principal officers are a recorder, chief or incipal clerk of public lands, principal clerk of private and claims, and principal clerk of surveys—all of whom are

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Sixth Auditor's Office. - William F. Phillips, and one numbered and one cierks. He

Light-House Board.—Hon. James Guthrie, president; Com. W. B. Shubrick, United States navy, chairman; Gen. J. G. Totten, United States army; Col. James Kearney, United States army; Prof. Joseph Henry, secretary of Smithsonian Institution; Commander S. F. Dupont, United States navy; Lieut. Thornton A. Jonkins, United States navy, secretary; Capt. Edmund L. F. Hardcastle, United States army, secretary; and five clerks. This board directs the building and repairing of light-houses, light-vessels, buoys and beacons,

drawing division.
Lieut J. C. Ciark, United States army, in charge of engraving division.
Samuel Hein, disbursing agent.
George Mathiot, electrotypist.
Joseph Saxton, assistant to superintendent of weights and

The Navy Department consists of the Navy Departmen roper, being the office of the Secretary and of five bureau ttached thereto, viz: Bureau of Navy-yards and Dock sureau of Construction, Equipment, and Repair, Bureau of Provisions and Clothing, Bureau of Ordnance and Hyggraphy, and the Bureau of Medicine and Surgery.

First Auditor's Office.—Thomas L. Smith, esq., First Auditor, and nineteen clerks. He receives and adjusts the accounts of the custom: revenue and disbursements, appropriate acts of Congress, and reports the balances to the Commissioner of the Curtoms and the First Comptroller, respectively, for their decision thereon.

Second Auditor's Office.—Philip Clayton, esq., Second Auditor, and twenty-one clerks. He receives and adjusts all accounts relating to the pay, clothing, and recounting of the army, as well as armories, arzenals, and ordenance, and all accounts relating to the Indian department, and reports the belances to the Second Comptroller for his decision thereon.

Hon. Jefferson Davis, Secretary of War. In the Secretary's office proper there are one chief clerk, seven subordinate clerks, two messengers, and four watchmen. The following bureaus are attached to this department:

Commanding General's Office.—This office, at the head of which is Lieutenant General Scott, is at New York.

Adjutant General's Office.—Col. Samuel Cooper, Adjutant theral. Assistants—Lieut. Col. W. G. Freeman, Major orge Deas, and Captain Seth Williams. Judge Advocate, ajor John F. Lee. Nine clerks and one mescager. In this ice are kept all the records which refer to the personnel of a rmy, the rolls, &c. It is here where all inilitary com-sions are made out.

Engineer Office. General Joseph G. Totten, neer; assistant, Lieutenant John D. Kurtz; fiv-one messenger. one messenger.

Topographical Bureau.—Col. J. J. Abert, colonel of the corps; sesistant, Licut. M. L. Smith; four cierks and

Ordnance Burcau,—Colonel H. E. Craig, colonel of ord-nance; assistant, Captain Wm. Maynadier; eight cierks and one messenger.

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W.M. T. BROWN, FRED. P. STANTON, and J. KNOX WALKW.ER have formed a parimership for practising law in the Supreme
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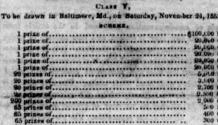
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